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Group Art Unit: 1638

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S.N. 09/297,703

FILED: 19 JULY 1999

FOR: IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO STARCH CONTENT OF PLANTS

Attention: Official Draftsperson
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

CORRECTION OF DRAWINGS

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review dated 08 September 1999, Applicants respectfully request the enclosed corrected drawings, Figures 1-13, be substituted for those now on file. The enclosed corrected

drawings contain the same matter as that originally filed and have been corrected as required by the Chief Draftsperson (Form 948). Applicants submit that the corrected drawings meet all statutory requirements and are acceptable as final formal drawings.

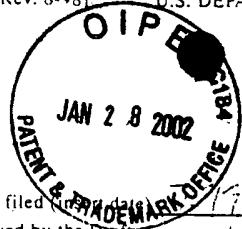
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NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

The drawing(s) filed in 10/111111 are:

A. approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.
 B. objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. The Examiner will require submission of new, corrected drawings when necessary. Corrected drawing must be submitted according to the instructions on the back of this notice.

1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings:

Black ink. Color.
 Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted.
 Fig(s) _____

Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s) _____

2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84 (b)

1 full-tone set is required. Fig(s) _____
 Photographs not properly mounted (must use bristol board or photographic double-weight paper). Fig(s) _____

Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s) _____

3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(e)

Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.
 Fig(s) _____
 Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy machine marks not accepted. Fig(s) _____
 Mylar, vellum paper is not acceptable (too thin).
 Fig(s) _____

4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes:

21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4)
 21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2 x 11 inches)
 All drawing sheets not the same size.
 Sheet(s) _____

Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s) _____

5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:

Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm
 SIZE: A4 Size

Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm
 SIZE: 8 1/2 x 11

Margins not acceptable. Fig(s) 1 - 7, 8 - 10, 13
 Top (T) _____ Left (L) _____
 Right (R) _____ Bottom (B) _____

6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)

REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes.

Partial views. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(2)

Brackets needed to show figure as one entity.
 Fig(s) _____
 Views not labeled separately or properly.
 Fig(s) 14, 5, 9, 10, 13
 Enlarged view not labeled separately or properly.
 Fig(s) _____

7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84 (h)(3)

Hatching not indicated for sectional portions of an object.
 Fig(s) _____
 Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s) _____

8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)

Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s) _____

9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)

Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in reproduction.
 Fig(s) _____

10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS.

37 CFR 1.84(i)

Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor line quality).
 Fig(s) _____

11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)

Solid black areas pale. Fig(s) _____
 Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s) _____
 Shade lines, pale, rough and blurred. Fig(s) _____

12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS.

37 CFR 1.84(p)

Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible.
 Fig(s) _____

Figure legends are poor. Fig(s) _____

Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1)
 Fig(s) _____

English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2)
 Figs _____

Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least .32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3)
 Fig(s) 1 - 10, 13

13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)

Lead lines cross each other. Fig(s) _____
 Lead lines missing. Fig(s) _____

14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(l)

Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals beginning with number 1. Sheet(s) _____

15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)

Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s) _____

16. CORRECTIONS. 37 CFR 1.84(w)

Corrections not made from prior PTO-948 dated _____

17. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152

Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig(s) _____
 Solid black shading not used for color contrast.
 Fig(s) _____

COMMENTS

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